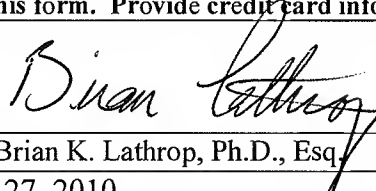


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 47233-5008-00-US (230977)	
In re application of: Kenichi HIGASHIYAMA et al.			
Application No.: 10/591,316		Filed: June 27, 2007	
For: A PROCESS FOR PRODUCING ASTAXANTHIN-CONTAINING LIPIDS			
Art Unit: 1651		Examiner: Sheridan R. Macauley	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.			
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):			
		Large Entity	Small Entity
		One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 130	\$ 65
		Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 490	\$ 245
XX	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1110	\$ 555
		Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1730	\$ 865
		Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2530	\$1175
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.			
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
XX	Payment by credit card via electronic filing.		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.			
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0573. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.			
I am the			
		Applicant/inventor	
		assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).	
XX	attorney or agent of record.		
		Attorney or agent of record under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a):	
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.			
Signature			
Typed Name	Brian K. Lathrop, Ph.D., Esq.	Registration No.	43,740
Date	January 27, 2010		
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Total of one (1) forms are submitted.			